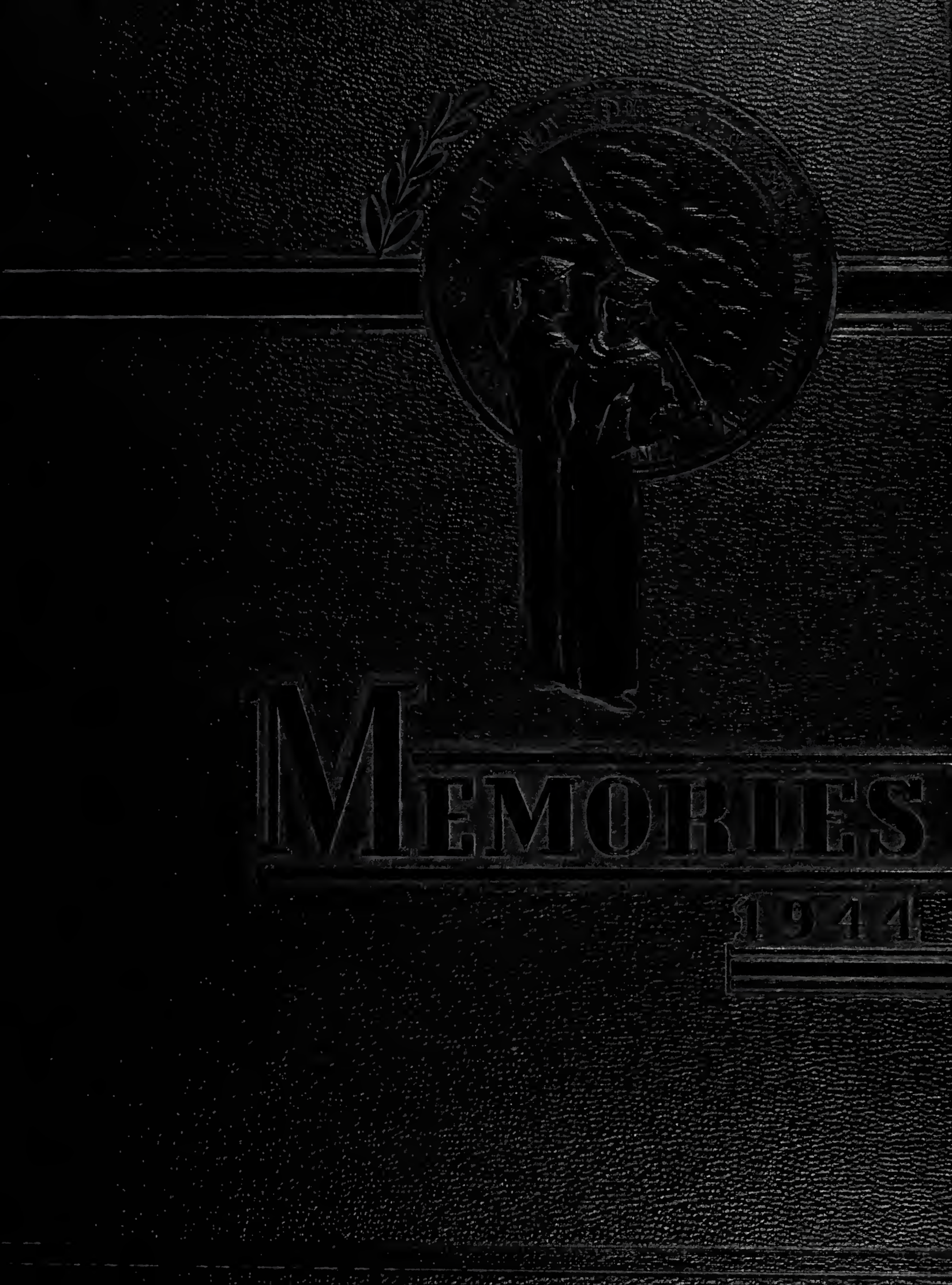
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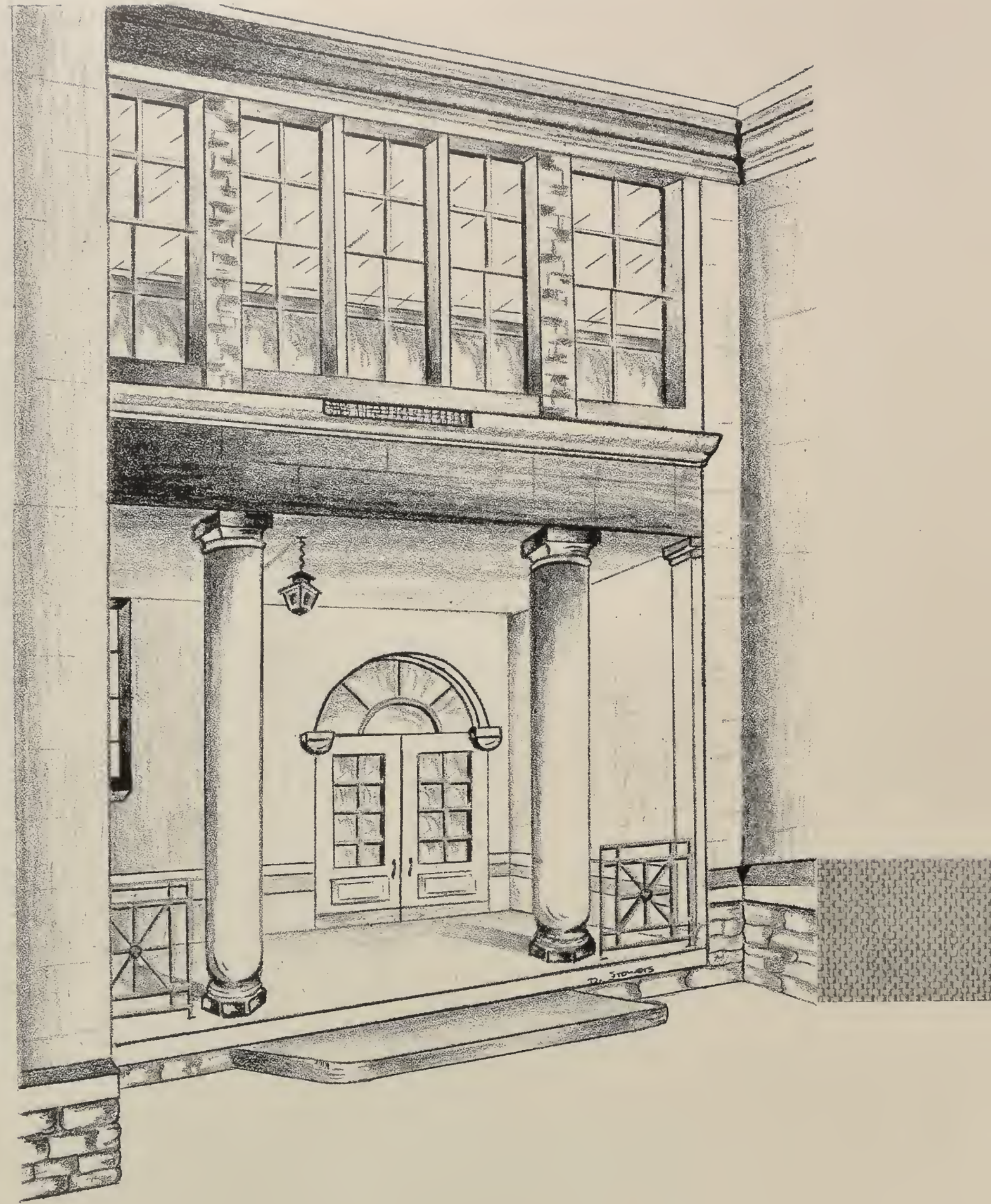

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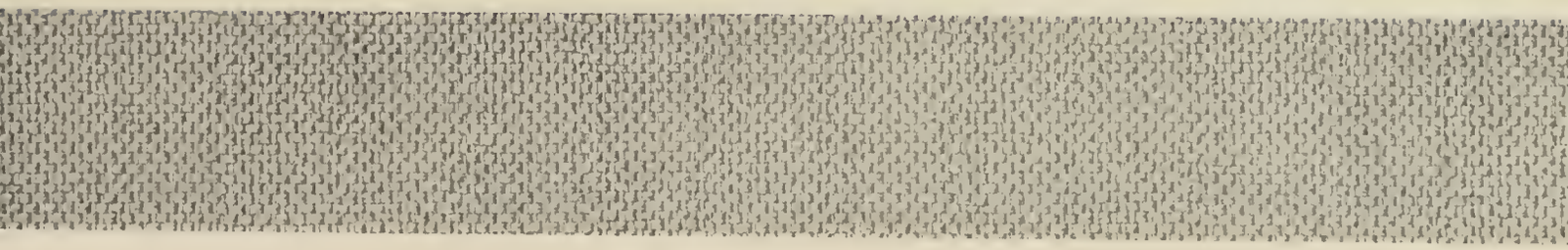

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Dedication

To you young men and women of our class who have entered our country's service or who will have entered its service before the end of hostilities, we offer this slight tribute—the dedication of this book.

Slight tribute, yes, when compared with that higher honor of serving your country in her hour of greatest need and peril!

You are following in the footsteps of other brave men who have sacrificed their all in the performance of duty, who have left families and friends to offer their full measure of devotion that the proposition, "That all men are created equal," may be a reality and not a page of United States history to the crushed peoples of conquered Europe and Asia.

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Foreword

Before we leave Marple-Newtown and join the ranks of alumni, we, the class of 1944, present this book of Memories. In this book you will find a record of our high school life, four years of studies, athletics, dances, hard work, and fun.

In keeping with our theme, "Prospects of Peace," we have endeavored to show the training provided for us that prepares us for later life —whether it be a time of war or a time of peace. After graduation, practically all the fellows in our class will be serving our country in one branch of the service or another. The immediate future may not be too bright, but with the background and training provided us, we, as all high school graduates, have the qualifications to help speed this war to a quick, victorious conclusion and make a better after-world. In this book, then, you will find the story of our school life—truly a book of happy memories.

Principal and His Message

TO THE CLASS OF 1944:

At the present time there can be seen in the newspapers and magazines a mounting list of educational opportunities that are being prepared for the benefit of the boys when they come out of the armed service. The expense of these educational advantages will be met by the national government. The lesson to be learned from this vast preparation for continuing the interrupted schooling of our young soldiers is perfectly obvious. After the war we shall be confronted by a world filled with a great amount of competition and the rewards will go to the best prepared. The authorities at Washington know this and they are trying to see that several millions of young Americans will have the opportunity, if they care to avail themselves of it, of preparing themselves to meet these changed conditions.

Every high school senior should ponder over this situation and not be misled by the present topsy-turvy condition of the world which will lead the thoughtless to believe that the old rule—the best prepared will come out on top—has ceased to exist. It behooves every youth, then, to continue his education most earnestly. Do not think that next June should write "Finis" to your efforts at self-improvement. Whether it be in college, night-school, or through self-effort, continue steadfastly in your efforts to make yourselves well prepared to face the conditions you will meet in post-war America.

Most sincerely,

JAY W. WORRALL

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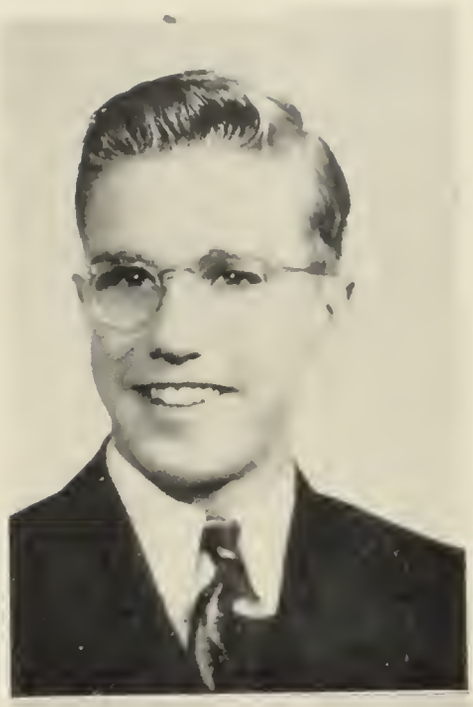


FRANK LOUIS AUGUSTINE

GENERAL

Personality is the keynote to Frank, and he certainly has a goodly share of the pleasing variety . . . an agile jitterburg . . . plays guard on the basketball team . . . plaid shirts, moccasins . . . a talented actor, as shown by his work in our school productions . . . a master of the quick comeback and really witty at times . . . an inseparable pal of Bud and Charlie.

Basketball 3, 4; Letterman 4; Co-Captain 4; Track 1; School Play 2, 3; Operetta 1, 2; South Eastern District Chorus 2; Chorus 1, 4; Cheerleader 2, 3; Clubs Dramatic 2, 4; Science 3; Junior Prom Committee 3.

ANNA BLOSENSKI

GENERAL

Good natured, friendly . . . always ready to laugh . . . wields a mean hockey stick . . . likes basketball, too. Anna took part in the M. N. orchestra, but with all her activities she still finds time to think of that certain someone.

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letterman 3, 4; Hockey 2, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Music Club 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; String Ensemble 3, 4.

HELEN BLOSENSKI

GENERAL

Seems calm and reserved, but when you get to know her she is really warm and friendly . . . active orchestra member . . . has a particular interest in a certain senior. Helen is always well groomed and makes her own clothes, too!

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letterman 3, 4; Hockey 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 2, 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Dancing Club 3, 4.

RICHARD BRUCE BOWERSOCK

GENERAL

Tall, lanky, good-natured . . . a familiar sight scooting around in his Willys or pumping gas at Manoa after school. Bruce plays basketball and finds most school desks a trifle small. A smooth dancer . . . sharp dresser . . . and a good friend to all.

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letterman 3, 4; Operetta 1, 2; South Eastern District Chorus 2; Chorus 1, 2, 4; Stage Guild 1, 2; Dancing Club 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4.

FLORENCE MARIE CARSON

GENERAL

"Tootie" is one of M. N.'s sports enthusiasts . . . her worries ceased when the pigskin tossers brought home victories this year . . . Manager of basketball team . . . argumentative, especially in P. O. D. One of the high salesmen in our Junior Magazine Drive.

Basketball 2, 3, 4; Manager Basketball 4; Hockey 2, 3, 4; Letterman 3, 4; La Crosse 3, 4; Perfect Attendance 3; Mar-News Staff 3, 4; Leaders Club 2; Library Club 3; Study Club 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4.

DANIEL HOLLAND CONNOR

COMMERCIAL

Dignified, a hard worker, very loyal to M-N . . . Holland really deserves credit for his hard work as manager of all varsity teams for several years. At many times this was a thankless task, but he certainly did a wonderful job . . . likes ping-pong, drives a nice coupe, and is most always with—well, you know whom!

Assistant Manager Football 1, 2; Manager Football 3, 4; Letterman 3, 4; Assistant Manager Basketball 1, 2; Manager Basketball 3, 4; Letterman 3, 4; Baseball 1; Perfect Attendance 1, 2, 3; Mar-News Staff 3, 4; Stage Guild 1, 2, 3; Shop Club 2; Ping Pong Club 3, 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4.

ELVA ELIZABETH CULBERTSON

GENERAL

Elva is always ready to help whenever there's something to be done . . . worked hard on orchestra committees for the Junior Prom and the Senior Ball . . . preferred biology, but liked to argue in P. O. D. with "Tootie" . . . is partial to the army . . . plans to enter auxiliary forces.

School Play 2; Operetta 1, 2; South Eastern District Chorus 2; Perfect Attendance 1; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatic Club 2; Personality Club 3; Music Club 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4.

DONA LOUISE DAVIDSON

COMMERCIAL

Charming, delightful to know . . . loves dancing and holding hands in the movies . . . plays a hard game of basketball . . . very straightforward . . . enjoys long walks in the country.

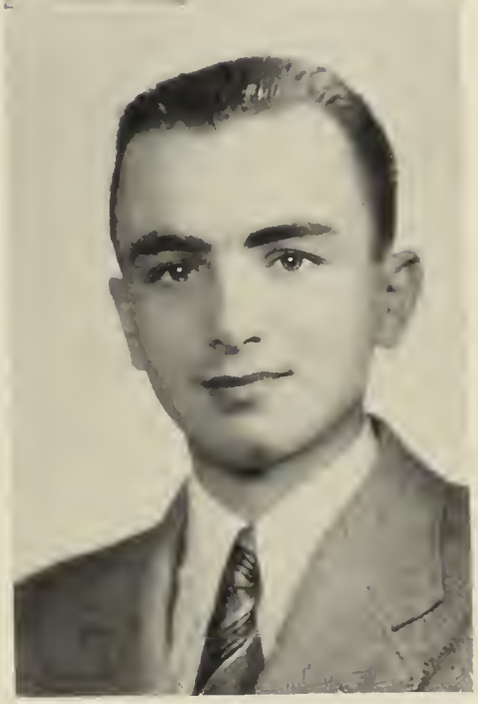
Basketball 1, 2, 4; Hockey 1; La Crosse 4; School Play 2, 3; Operetta 1, 2; Chorus 2, 4; Science Club 2; Dancing Club 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4.

RITA BRIDGET DeCECCO

GENERAL

Petite, talkative . . . always laughing, especially at Elaine. Rita enjoys fashion designing, but has set her heart on becoming a nurse . . . full of dynamite during a basketball or hockey game . . . can't wait to receive letters from a certain fellow in the service.

Basketball 4; Hockey 2, 3, 4; Letterman 4; La Crosse 4; School Play 3, 4; Operetta 2; Chorus 1, 3, 4; Stage Guild 2; Dancing Club 3; Dramatic Club 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Athletic Council Solicitor 3, 4.



GEORGE LESTER DOWNS

ACADEMIC

Witty and clever, "Les" can really make you laugh with his imitations. Talented—especially in art and cartoon work . . . Standard Oil's Marple-Newtown representative . . . likes basketball and baseball, certain girls, and has you in stitches most of the time.

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2; School Play 2, 3; Chorus 4; Mar-News Staff 2, 3, 4; Year Book Staff 4; Stage Guild 1, 2; Science Club 3; Study Club 4; Junior Prom Committee 3.

WILLIAM EDWARD ENGLISH

ACADEMIC

Bill is the originator of snappy remarks that somehow catch on and spread over the school like wildfire . . . at times quiet, at times just the opposite . . . goes in for football in a big way. A camera "bug," he loves to "snap" you when you're not looking . . . an expert when it comes to bowling . . . has won several prizes and awards for his ability.

Football 3, 4; Letterman 4; Chorus 4; Year Book Staff 4; Dancing Club 3; Dramatic Club 4.

GLORIA I. GORSUCH

COMMERCIAL

Reserved, competent, and dependable . . . known for her beautiful flaming red hair . . . always dressed so nicely . . . blushes easily—we wonder if she is as bashful as she seems!

Basketball 2; Hockey 1, 3; La Crosse 3, 4; School Play 1, 2, 3; Operetta 1, 2; Guard of Honor 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Mar-News Staff 3, 4; Year Book Staff 4; Leaders Club 2; Library Club 3; Music Club 4; Junior Prom Committee 3.

ROBERT MARTIN GRIFFIN

GENERAL

Bob left us for the Navy March 9th, and the Seniors wish him the best of luck. We always remember him as friendly and good-natured, a master of the wisecrack . . . Bob is the wise observer in most instances . . . Played football . . . well-liked . . . just a trifle girl-shy.

Football 3, 4; Letterman 4; Baseball 2; Perfect Attendance 1; Stage Guild 1, 2; Shop Club 2; Gym Club; Study Club 4; Senior Ball Committee 4.

FAY IRENE HALL

GENERAL

Likes to hookey . . . seems to enjoy shop work most of all . . . makes nice looking jewelry . . . loves dancing especially with Bill and is usually waiting for him to come home on leave.

Hockey 2, 4; Assistant Manager 4; School Play 4; Operetta 2; Chorus 3; Shop Club 3; Science Club 3; Dramatic Club 4; Junior Prom Committee 3.

MARGARET ROSE HARRIS

COMMERCIAL

Marge puts her okay on modern music (loves recordings), but keep the classics as far from her as you can . . . plays the violin in the orchestra. She's rather quiet in class, but get her with a group of girls and can that girl talk! Cheerful . . . always enjoys a good laugh . . . keeps a complete M-N scrapbook.

Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Perfect Attendance 2, 3; Guard of Honor 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Year Book Staff 4; Music Club 2, 4; Personality Club 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; String Ensemble 2, 3, 4; Music Letterman 2; Athletic Council Solicitor 4.

ANNA EVELYN IVINS

ACADEMIC

Attractive, very intelligent, dependable, Anna is an ideal student and classmate. An "A" in all subjects is her average . . . has a fine sense of humour, a neat dresser, active in school activities. Likes sketching and prefers a fellow whose initials are H. C. . . . has a fine future judging by her great success in all she undertook while in school.

Class Officer 3, 4; Guard of Honor 3; Chorus 4; Mar-News Staff 3, 4; Year Book Staff Editor 4; Stage Guild 2; Art Club 2, 4; Mathematics Tournament at Temple 2; Manager of Magazine Drive 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4; Athletic Council Solicitor 4; Valedictorian; National Honor Society.

CALVIN PERRY KNOWLTON

GENERAL

Refined, well-dressed, immaculate at all times, "Cal" is a hustler, too . . . travels quite a bit in his De Soto, and not slowly either . . . generous, has a sunny disposition . . . likes dances and a particular attraction in New Jersey.

Football 2, 3; Baseball 2; Operetta 1, 2; Chorus 2, 4; Dramatic Club 2; Cooking Club 3; Study Club 4; Senior Ball Committee 4.

JUNE C. LAWRENCE

GENERAL

Demure, cuddlesome, and talkative . . . has a sunny disposition and enviable hair . . . good in biology tests.

Hockey 2, 3, 4; Letterman 4; La Crosse 3, 4; School Play 1; Chorus 2, 3, 4; Leaders Club 2; Dancing Club 3, 4; Senior Ball Committee 4.

GERTRUDE ELAINE PATTON

ACADEMIC

Likable and witty . . . usually in stitches when "Les" is around . . . an all-round girl . . . excels in sports—captain of the basketball and hockey teams . . . always has her hair fixed so nicely . . . has strikingly pretty blue eyes. Elaine is usually seen working on the Mar-News . . . plans to enter college.

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Co-captain 3; Captain 4; Letterman 2, 3, 4; Hockey 2, 3, 4; Captain 3, 4; Class Officer 1, 2; School Play 2; Operetta 2; A. A. Council 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 3, 4; Mar-News Staff 1, 2, 3, 4; Editor-in-Chief 4; Year Book Staff 4; Leaders Club 2; Dancing Club 3; Music Club 4; Athletic Council Solicitor 4; National Honor Society.

HAROLD MARSHALL PEIRCE

GENERAL

Dependable, well-liked, But took a leading part in most of our activities. Excelled in sports. Should make a good coach some day if he doesn't take too much of a liking to the Navy . . . will be remembered as a good friend and for swimming in February.

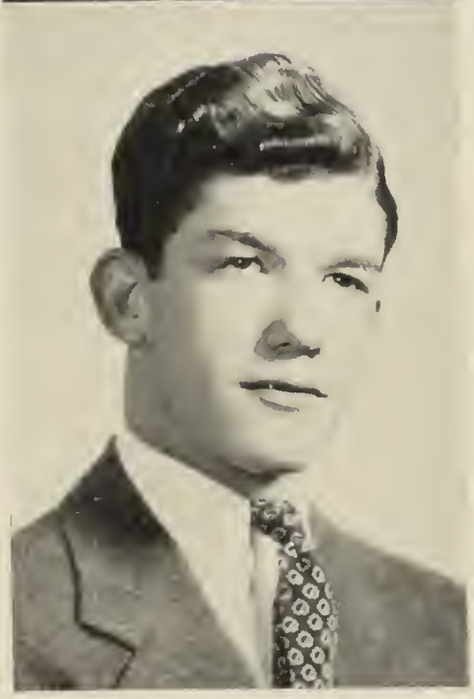
Football 3, 4; Captain 4; Letterman 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; A. A. Council 3, 4; Guard of Honor 3; Year Book Staff 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4; Gym Club 2; Science Club 3; Study Club 4.

JOSEPH ALLEN PETERS

ACADEMIC

Happy-go-lucky, usually laughing, Joe seems to enjoy life a lot . . . always has a quippy remark ready . . . liked "solid" class for some reason . . . refers to his after-school job as "soda-dispenser" . . . leaves a trail of books behind him . . . likes to read . . . abounds with enthusiasm for whatever he undertakes—especially advertising recording dances.

School Play 2, 3, 4; Chorus 4; Year Book Staff 4; Cooking Club 3; Typing Club 4; Senior Ball Committee 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Manager Football and Basketball 1.



PAUL JOHN PFLUEGER

COMMERCIAL

Paul is bound to succeed, as shown by the part he takes in school leadership. An ardent cyclist, dependable, (most of the time), did a fine job conducting class meetings . . . plays a courageous game of football . . . popular . . . a "regular fellow."

Football 3, 4; Letterman 3, 4; Basketball 3; Assistant Manager Baseball 1; Class Officer 3, 4; School Play 1, 2, 4; A. A. Council 4; Guard of Honor 3; Mar-News 1; Dramatic Club 2; Dancing Club 3; Study Club 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4; National Honor Society.

ALAN M. REEVE

GENERAL

Precise, efficient science bug . . . a good conversationalist, especially on scientific subjects—overwhelming us at times with the terms he knows! . . . our chief engineer at school affairs . . . collects phonograph records—Vaughn Monroe is his favorite . . . should be a good engineer some day.

Perfect Attendance 2; Guard of Honor 3; Chorus 4; Stage Guild 2, 3; Science Club 2, 3; Home Economics Club 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4.

NANCY LYLE RINEHART

GENERAL

Known for her interrupting in P. O. D. class and quoting her uncle . . . wants to be a nurse, but can't stand dissections in biology . . . studies chemistry at Temple . . . extensive correspondence with many servicemen . . . Nancy enjoys reading (maybe that's the reason she loves to receive so many letters).

Hockey 2, 3, 4; Manager 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Band 2, 3; School Play 2; Operetta 1, 2; Chorus 2; Mar-News Staff 3, 4; Year Book Staff 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; La Crosse 3, 4; Manager 3; Senior Ball Committee 4; Science Club 2; Personality Club 3; Aviation Club 4.

VERA LOUISE SAMMS

COMMERCIAL

Vera may be quiet in class, but like any other girl, finds other times to be quite talkative . . . tranquil, sincere, not very excitable . . . working in the Acme. A good business manager for the "Mar-News" . . . hates to be kidded by Miss Yeingst—or doesn't she?

School Play 2; Operetta 1, 2; Guard of Honor 3; Chorus 1, 2; Mar-News Staff 2, 3, 4; Dramatic Club 2, 4; Personality Club 3; Magazine Drive Manager 3.

CHARLES SCHNERR

ACADEMIC

Seems dignified at first but when you get to know him, he's a downright swell fellow . . . dependable, versatile, excellent speaker . . . has a good vocabulary . . . participated in school dramatics. Charlie can easily take command of any situation and is always the perfect gentlemen . . . misses school but can well afford to —to let the others catch up.

Basketball 1, 2, 3; School Play 2, 3; Operetta 1; Guard of Honor 3; Chorus 4; Mar-News Staff 2, 3, 4; Year Book Staff 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Dramatic Club 2, 4; Dancing Club 3; Declamation Contest 2; Senior Ball Committee 4; Salutatorian; National Honor Society.

ETHEL ELAINE SPIKER

GENERAL

Eager, friendly . . . especially enjoys fashion designing (good at it, too!) and other art work . . . Who is that someone in the Navy? . . . usually copying Bud's homework . . . cute dimples.

Operetta 2; Stage Guild 1, 2, 3, 4; Dancing Club 3; Art Club 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4.

RUTH ANNE STONE

COMMERCIAL

No matter when you see her, Ruth is gay and sociable . . . and has beautiful blonde hair and twinkling eyes . . . talks fast . . . our office secretary after Marge left . . . efficient and energetic worker . . . always willing . . . fast typist, too!

La Crosse 3; School Play 1, 2; Operetta 1, 2; Guard of Honor 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Mar-News Staff 2, 4; Year Book Staff 4; Red Cross Club 2; Library Club 3; Music Club 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4; Typing Award 2, 3; Declamation Contest 1; Magazine Drive Captain 3; National Honor Society.

EMILIE DORIS STOTT

COMMERCIAL

Emilie did an excellent job as Class Treasurer for four years . . . keen typist, always has a ready, cheerful smile . . . friendly and a good pal to all . . . industrious. Seems interested in the Merchant Marine.

Class Officer 1, 2, 3, 4; School Play 1; Guard of Honor 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Year Book Staff 4; Dramatic Club 2; Personality Club 3; Music Club 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4; National Honor Society.

DORIS AILEEN STOWERS

COMMERCIAL

Doris is especially friendly and amiable . . . a little sophisticated . . . she can say plenty with those eyes . . . unusually good in art work and enjoys dramatics . . . peppy cheerleader . . . a knack for losing things.

School Play 2, 3; Cheerleader 3, 4; Mar-News Staff 3, 4; Year Book Staff 4; Stage Guild 2, 3; Dramatic Club 2; Science Club 3; Sketch Club 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Declamation Contest 2, 3; Senior Ball Committee 4.

EDNA BETTY TAYLOR

ACADEMIC

Always has a friendly smile . . . nice disposition . . . loves any kind of handiwork . . . has to be occupied with something . . . manager of the basketball and hockey teams in her Junior year. Would make a good nurse, for she's always helping someone.

Assistant Manager Basketball 1, 2; Manager 3; Letterman 3; Assistant Manager Hockey 1, 2; Manager 3; Orchestra 1, 2; School Play 3; Operetta 2; Chorus 2, 4; Mar-News Staff 3; Stage Guild 1, 2; Shop Club 2, 4; Science Club 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4.

ETHEL MAY THOMAS

COMMERCIAL

Comes into school one minute to nine on the dot . . . Cowboys and Norristown . . . could it be since she met a certain somebody? . . . likes dramatics . . . happy-go-lucky . . . energetic little cheerleader . . . giggly . . . pert.

Band 3; School Play 4; Operetta 2; Chorus 1, 3, 4; Cheerleader 4; Mar-News Staff 2; Year Book Staff 4; Senior Ball Committee 4; Shop Club 3; Dramatic Club 4.

GERALDINE ELIZABETH THOMAS

COMMERCIAL

Gerry likes to read . . . an ardent movie fan . . . a member of practically every Movie-fan club . . . partial to the Navy . . . has a large correspondence with servicemen and friends . . . trouble with her shorthand.

La Crosse 3; Letterman 3; Personality Club 3; Flying Club 4.

ELVA CLARE TROUPE

GENERAL

Misses Dave . . . seen designing future home . . . loves to dance . . . quiet . . . has most beautiful hands . . . works at the Acme. Elva likes recordings . . . favorite is "Chattanooga Choo-Choo."

Operetta 1, 2; Chorus 1, 2; Stage Guild 1, 2, 3, 4; Puppet Club 3; Music Club 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4.

LORRAINE EVELYN TURNER

COMMERCIAL

Sparkling, vivacious . . . has flirtatious blue eyes . . . loves dancing, especially with Stu . . . very active socially . . . always working on bonds . . . a nice wardrobe . . . would like to try modeling after a few years at a Powers' school . . . Mr. Harvey has a grand time kidding her . . . she blushes easily.

Basketball 2; Hockey 2, 4; Operetta 1, 2; Chorus 2, 3, 4; Mar-News Staff 4; Year Book Staff 4; Dramatic Club 2, 4; Personality Club 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Captain of Magazine Drive 3; War Bond Chairman 3, 4.

JACK van RODEN

ACADEMIC

Argumentative, aggressive, but well-mannered . . . Jack took a big part in promoting and putting over Senior projects. Drives a nice station wagon and is most often seen with Helen . . . may become a lawyer someday, but prefers the Army Air Corps right now.

Guard of Honor 3; Chorus 4; Ping-Pong Club 2, 3, 4; Dancing 4; Math Tournament at Temple 2; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4.

F. WILLIAM WARNER

ACADEMIC

Tricky, at times a bit whacky, Bill is always the life of things and in his serious moments can really work . . . has a nice build and plays a rugged game of football . . . usually in a big hurry (by the way he drives) . . . has a pet cow . . . expects to attend college.

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Letterman 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 4; Track 1; School Play 2; Operetta 1; Perfect Attendance 1; Chorus 4; Year Book Staff 4; Stage Guild 1, 2, 3, 4; Dancing Club 2; Gym Club 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4.

ELIZABETH EVANS WILDS

GENERAL

Dignified, neat, and quiet . . . her hair is always just so . . . likes servicemen . . . especially those in the Marine Corps . . . enjoys making her own clothes . . . working at Doc's.

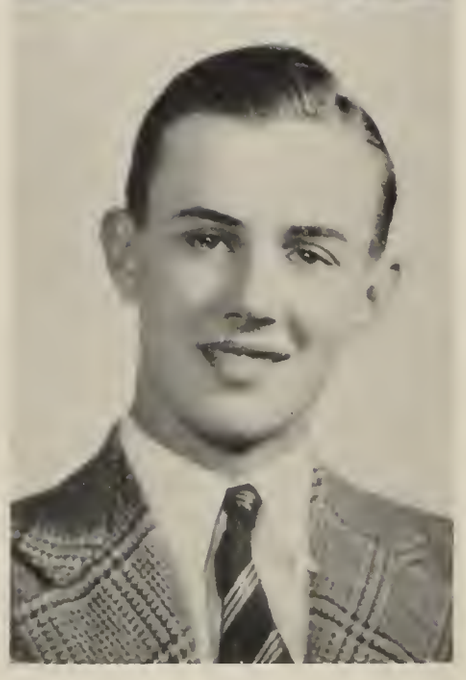
Perfect Attendance 1, 2; Shop Club 3; Home Nursing Club 4; Red Cross Club 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Chorus 4.

GEORGE EARL WILLIAMS

COMMERCIAL

Reserved but sociable, George has done much for his school. Likes airplane models and aviation, bright sport coats, and ice hockey . . . assists at most M. N. sports events . . . likes ping-pong enough to eat his lunch in practically nothing flat so he can have the first match.

Baseball 1; Year Book Staff 4; Stage Guild 3; Shop Club 2, 3; Ping-Pong Club 3, 4; Dancing Club 4.



ERNEST LINCOLN WORRELL

GENERAL

Easy-going, likable, quiet, Ernie nevertheless is not timid in voicing his opinion should the occasion arise . . . plays sports "body and soul" and well . . . doesn't like to be razzed . . . prefers a good game of golf or a confidential talk with Bob and Paul.

Football 2, 3, 4; Letterman 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Golf Team 3; Baseball 1, 2; Chorus 4; Stage Guild 1; Gym Club 2, 3, 4; Senior Ball Committee 4.

GILBERT YODER

GENERAL

Gilbert is known as the "baby" of our class, but he really can't help it if he's only fifteen. An experienced caddy . . . has an accent that verges on the Southern . . . likes to express his opinions in class without bothering to raise his hand . . . a star salesman of the Seniors' merchandise.

Football 4; Chorus 4; Fire Fighters Club 3; Dancing Club 4.

MARION ELIZABETH YODER

GENERAL

Waiting for Jack . . . cute, saucy . . . enjoys dancing and gymnastics . . . slacks in school. One of our first to wear a diamond . . . easy to get along with.

La Crosse 3, 4; Letterman 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Band 3; Operetta 1, 2; Chorus 1, 2, 3; Music Club 2, 4; Personality Club 3.

G. I. Statistics

Name	Pet Peeve	Usually Seen
Frank Augustine	Dressing up	Shining his nails
Anna Blosenski	Trolley cars	Out for sports
Helen Blosenski	Shifting gears	In the station-wagon
Bruce Bowersock	Nicknames	Pumping gas
Florence Carson	Senior boys	Debating
Holland Connor	Being bossed	Carrying Anna's books
Elva Culbertson	Biology	Wearing boots
Rita DeCecco	Party—Games	Waiting for the mail
Dona Davidson	No men	Giving advice
Lester Downs	Full car	Acting simple
William English	Hookeying	Snapping pictures
Gloria Gorsuch	Red hair	Writing Shorthand
Robert Griffin	Detention	With Paul
Fay Hall	Old clothes	Planning her home
Margaret Harris	Diet	Carrying her violin
Anna Ivins	Lending her Trig	With Holland
Calvin Knowlton	New Jersey Cops	In the machine room
June Lawrence	Slow blush	With Ethel
Elaine Patton	Uncle Harry's Chickens	In hysterics
Harold Peirce	Long basketball practices	At the Boys' Club
Joseph Peters	Democrats	In trouble
Paul Pflueger	A. A. meetings	Conducting meetings
Alan Reeve	Faulty wiring	Playing with electricity
Nancy Rinehart	Lack of servicemen	Writing letters
Vera Samms	Too few copies	Delivering Mar-News
Charles Schnerr	Monday morning	In Upper Darby
Elaine Spiker	Sorority	Filling her hope chest
Ruth Stone	Attendance Report	With Lorraine
Emilie Stott	Spaghetti	With a handful of checks
Doris Stowers	Saying goodnight	With "Les"
Betty Taylor	Food shortage	At Parker's
Ethel Thomas	Alarm clock	Arriving at 9:01
Geraldine Thomas	No mail	Writing fan letters
Elva Troupe	The wrong mail	Knitting
Lorraine Turner	Stamp Day	Selling Bonds
Jack van Roden	Ball programs	Apple-Polishing
William Warner	Competition	Gyping Mr. Harvey
Betty Wilds	English class	Teasing George
George Williams	Close games	Playing ping-pong
Ernest Worrell	Teasing	Working?
Gilbert Yoder	"Amos"	Chewing gum
Marion Yoder	School	Wearing slacks

G. I. Statistics

Pet Phrase	Memories	Destiny
"I know I'm handsome but . . ."	Don's	Heartbreaker
"How's your heart?"	String ensemble	Basketball star
"I don't know."	Leather seat covers	Housewife
"Give me a push, Les."	Parking	Bigamist
"Oh, for leap year."	Clifton	Pistol Packin' Mama
"Hurry up, Anna."	Manager	Home-Builder
"I'm sorry, Mr. Obold."	Cowboy band	Housewife
"Got a letter from Mike today."	Hockey goal	Devoted wife
"Bob's coming home."	Vitamin pills	Mrs. ————
"I betcha."	Ellis College	Comedian
"Ah — — — —."	Post Office	Postmaster
"Oh, Golly."	House Parties	Stenographer
. . . Silence . . .	Walks with Kaye	Sailor
"Oh, yes it is."	Trouble	Navy wife
"I'm all mixed up."	Soliciting	Violinist
"I only got a 95."	Holland's Ford	Lab. Technician
"That * - ? ! car!"	Trips to New Jersey	Accountant
"Gee Whiz!"	Bob Harris	Stenographer
"For John's sake."	Boastful men	Coach
"I'll see you at Spiker's."	Hot Shoppe	Bachelor
"Oh, Piffle!"	Recording dances	Soda Jerker
"How about a little order?"	His bike	Millionaire
"Einstein would say!"	Cafeteria	Scientist
"My uncle says . . ."	P.O.D. Class	Politician
"That's what you think."	Acme	Secretary
"I'm going to quit smoking."	Hacker's car	Democrat
"Wait for me."	Blackouts	Illustrator
"I'll see you."	Leaving P.O.D. to ring bells	Private secretary
"Oh, wait till I tell you."	Sailors	Receptionist
"Right?"	Speed tests	Artist
"Do you want me to do it?"	Raccoon coat	Short order cook
"Do I have to stay in?"	Cheerleading	Cowboy Fan
"I read all night."	Gym class	Pilot
"That's what David said."	Decorating for Senior Ball	Interior Decorator
"I think he's cute."	Nights with Stu	Powers Model
"It's screwball."	Station-wagon	Lawyer
"I was at a cow sale."	His cow	Farm Manager
"Oh, that makes me angry."	French sailors	Dressmaker
"What?"	"Jocko"	Manufacturer of Italian cigars
"That test was easy."	$28.00 at Christmas	Bill's Partner
"Yes, Miss Yeingst!"	Grammar	Ideal husband
"You know what I mean?"	Early lunch	Housewife

Diary

Gee! There goes another school term. For some of us it's the last one, for others it's another year of learning crossed off. But you miss the last year and all the fun you had, the crazy things you did, and the horsin' around with the crowd.

Will you ever forget lunch time or the "caf," or serving a spell in Mr. Obold's delinquents' dungeon? And how about the dirty looks people gave you when you came back for the fifth time trying to sell them something?

Yea, man, but this year brought a lot of improvements, too. Bigger and better assembly programs, a couple of hot teams, a new cafeteria, and a record-breaking Senior class that revived the "Trip" and "Supper" traditions. The Music and Shop departments have grown and are making themselves known on the outside.

And say, do you think they'll ever get that "subway to Media" finished? Our driveway is getting lop-sided, and the front bank has sunk six inches under those concrete ducts.

How do you like our flagpole? It's beginning to look like a laundry line with all those banners flapping.

Ah! but we're proud of our little M-N and everybody in it. The Seniors are surely going to miss it. (What they really regret, is that they probably won't know how all these high school romances turn out.) Seriously, though, M-N has given us a lot of things we won't forget, and that we'll carry with us in the future. While we look backward at the past year, we also look forward to all the many years ahead of us.

DATES

September 7—Grand Fall Opening of the old school house. Forty-two seniors crammed into their new homeroom—close quarters. For the first time, one-half of the class knows how the other half lives.

September 14—Manhattan Singers in assembly today. All reet, huh?

October 9—A beautiful game! The M-N Tigers beat North Coventry 8-0.

October 29—The Seniors gave a Hallowe'en party in the Gym. It was fun even if one of the games did get a little out of hand.

November 6—Another victory! This time over Sharon Hill, 12-7.

November 24—Seniors got their photos for the yearbook taken.

December 3—False air raid in the school—the Seniors' proofs arrived. Result: seven inferiority complexes and thirteen deflated heads.

December 7—A reward for our team—a big turkey dinner.

December 8—What two seniors named Peters and English had a little run-in at the office with parents attending?

December 9—New detention system installed in M-N—Mr. Obold directing. He's a h-a-a-rd man.

December 17—Extra week for Christmas vacation because of "flu" epidemic. Dear old Flu.

December 22—What a shame! This date was supposed to be for Miss Zipf's Christmas program, but it had to be called off.

January 3—Margie didn't come back to us after vacation—Nashville's a bigger attraction.

January 11—Real meat in the soup today.

January 12—What a riot! Mrs. Hoch's homeroom gave a play for assembly—did you get a load of Russ Manton in that evening gown?

January 20—Our M-N Chorus paid a visit to Media—girls had little red bows in their hair—pretty singing, too.

January 25—The warden of the Pennsylvania State Prison paid a visit to M-N to get a few pointers from our detention system.

February 12—Jimmy Reed's orchestra—unusual decorations—$25 profit—Yes, we're talking about the Senior Ball.

February 14—Hold 'em back, fellahs! We have a new secretary—Mrs. Quigley.

February 24—Media certainly was smoky—Pflueger and Van Roden contributed to the wood fire at the V-5 tests.

February 24—Miss Decker's delegation to the Forum. The Senior gals also won the basketball intermurals today.

March 3—Oh no! The Seniors got together on a motion.

March 14—Publicity for the old school house—we got the Minute Man Citation.

March 20—Pflueger actually attended an A. A. Meeting.

April 13—Smell that chicken? Yep, the Supper was a big success—840 customers and a few coins for the treasury.

April 17—Last payment for Christmas cards was turned in. Better late than never.

May 2—Peirce and Pflueger failed to attend an A. A. meeting—nuf sed!

May 4—"Ever Since Eve" was a big success, at least nobody can say we hadn't been working on it long enough.

May 6—New window-washing department installed in M-N. See Roberts and Warner for prices.

May 8—Burr hair cuts are the rage in M-N. Some of the girls got into quite a rage, too.

May 9—So long, diary. Today you go to press, so we won't know how this year ended. ("—don't care how, just so it ends," you say?) Howevah,—here's the line-up for the rest of the year. Make your own cracks.

May 19—Big Music Festival.

May 25—Card party.

May 31—The Seniors leave for their New York trip.

June 6—Declamation Contest.

June 9—Junior Prom. We hear it's going to be a pip.

June 18—Baccalaureate services.

June 20—Commencement.

June 22—Last day of school.

MISS HELEN E. YEINGST
Adviser

Juniors

COLORS

Blue and white

FLOWER

Red rose

MOTTO

"Our loyalty weighs high from sand to sky."

RICHARD KERBER
President

MIRIAM HIPPLE
Vice-President

JACQUELINE SPIKER
Secretary

KATHERINE FRIEDRICH
Treasurer

Junior Jottings

To start off the activities of the year, competent class officers were elected. Carrying on the tradition, shortly after school opened, we selected our class rings and eagerly awaited their coming. Our next big event was the Magazine Drive which netted us $385.15. This amount was more than was ever made by any class in the school's history. We were justly proud of this accomplishment, for our class was the smallest in the school. Much credit goes to Miriam Hipple, who very capably managed the drive for us.

Junior ranks have been lessened by the enlistment of two patriotically spirited boys, Parker Harlow and William Brewer.

Home room discussions, planning for an assembly program and the Junior Prom, and other activities which taught us group-responsibility rounded out a very happy year for us. Keep an eye on us for bigger and better accomplishments next year!

Left to right, front row: E. Muehlmatt, R. Taylor, F. Ballaron, T. Plank, S. Baker, A. Smith. Second row: B. Carney, R. Wendig, E. Hankele, M. Hipple, R. Kerber, K. Friedrich, D. Reed, V. Flood, M. Fiorello. Third row: J. Stone, B. Mackey, B. Broadbelt, S. Amadio, Miss Yeingst, H. Bostwick, J. Hunter, J. Stover, R. Culshaw. Last row: R. Managan, C. Huber, R. Harris, D. Look, B. Rudolph, C. Roberts, H. Wood, G. Peel.

MISS HELEN E. DECKER
Adviser

MRS. RUTH HOCH
Adviser

Sophomores

COLOR

Blue and silver

FLOWER

Gardenia

MOTTO

"We build the ladder on which we climb."

ROBERT WOODCOCK
President

GEORGE SEELY
Vice-President

MARY PEIRCE
Secretary

WILSON MOYER
Treasurer

Sophomore Notes

Three cheers to the sophomores for coming through with flying colors in the first paper drive! We are now the proud winners of $50 which was awarded to the class that brought in the most paper.

We can certainly boast, too, when it comes to the field of sports. Our class was well represented on all of Marple-Newtown's teams; in fact, there were more sophs out for athletics than any other class.

Among our activities was a dance given by the Academic and General sections to further our Bond and Stamp sales. We came out on top with the large sum of $82.70.

The sophomore class has a fine start for the future and is certainly sticking to its motto: "We Build the Ladder on Which We Climb."

Left to right, front row: L. Bloomer, L. Winterbottom, A. Reichardt, H. Wood, H. Hogg, H. Garrett, R. Thomas, I. Melhuish, M. Bloomer, M. Broadbelt. Second row: G. Earle, E. Schneck, J. Graf, Miss Decker, W. Moyer, G. Seely, R. Woodcock, M. Peirce, Mrs. Hoch, R. Honeycutt, E. Hollis, V. DeVito, C. Reardon. Third row: W. Wunsch, D. Kirk, E. Babkirk, I. McElreavy, B. Bigelow, W. Loomis, E. Trost, R. Manton, W. Miller, L. Worrell, P. Mason, F. Neal, K. Heinzelman. Last row: R. Smith, T. Sweeney, J. Graham, E. Dudley, D. O'Brien, W. Gordy, J. Bachtler, D. Civitella, I. Miller, I. Worrell, C. Satterthwaite, W. van Roden, W. Hipple, R. Spiller.

MR. FREDERICK W. BROWN
Adviser

MISS ELEANOR D'AMELIO
Adviser

Freshmen

COLORS

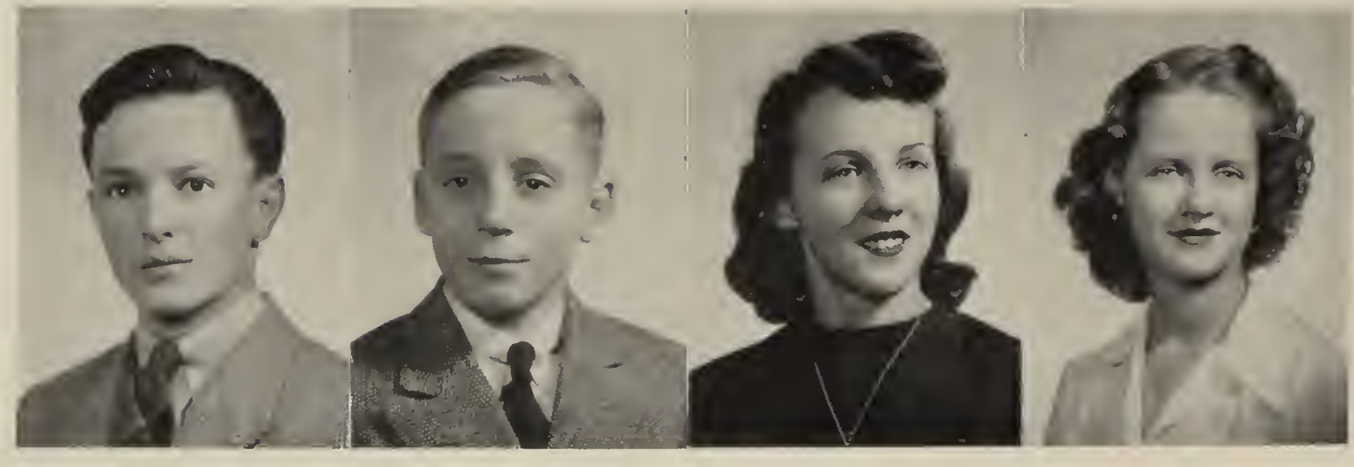
Blue and gold

FLOWER

Dahlia

MOTTO

"What we are to be—we are now becoming."



HERBERT RUDOLPH
President

JOHN SHAW
Vice-President

STELLA BLOSENSKI
Secretary

LOUISE LEWIS
Treasurer

Freshman Highlights

As this was our last year in junior high, we have tried to fill it with activities that would be beneficial, not only to ourselves and our school, but also to the war effort.

Ample amounts were contributed by the ninth grade toward the winning of the "Tin Can Salvage Drive" flag. We also took part in the paper-salvage campaign, coming in first in the second drive.

The two ninth grades combined several guidance periods and devoted them to the electing of officers and other class business. The other meetings were separate and of varied nature.

Members of the freshman class participated in all the sports our school had, and we were well represented in each sport.

Our assembly programs were successful, and we had a lot of fun planning and giving them.

Our freshman year has been exciting and enjoyable, but we are looking forward to still better and more active years with our senior groups.

Left to right, front row: N. Weatherby, J. Gorsuch, L. Ivins, M. Gorsuch, L. Kirk, B. Noll, B. Philson, B. Fox, H. McDonald, L. MacLaren. Second row: Miss D'Amelio, S. Ramsey, J. Fetters, M. Topham, S. Blosenski, L. Lewis, H. Rudolph, J. Shaw, M. Samms, L. Mason, D. Earle, Mr. Brown. Third row: C. Graham, A. Garris, L. Robinson, E. Crowding, R. Mangold, J. Thomas, J. Steer, W. Prichard, J. Wilcox, C. Scheid, H. Raney, R. Mangold, J. Thompson, M. Collins, M. Wood, L. Griffin, A. Wilson, R. Gettz. Last row: H. Bennett, R. Goodyear, R. Swain, R. Moyer, W. Peters, A. Smith, J. Nask, R. Snapp, R. Bailey, L. Prescott, J. Guilford, J. Dennin.

More Looking Ahead

Mrs. Alice B. Hoopes
Adviser

Miss Margaretta Wenzell
Adviser

Last year we were "Seventh Graders Looking Ahead." This year—well, who knows? Our ambitions have changed, so therefore our outlook on life is a little different.

We have successfully elected class officers and are learning more about student government, so we can be better future citizens.

As for fun, well, there has been plenty of it. We have all had fun during the scrap drives and such enthusiasm over the war bond drives!

We are justly proud of our knitters. Even the boys who answered Miss Wenzell's request for afghans for wounded soldiers did a wonderful job. Another wartime year of school has given us new responsibilities which we have accepted and enjoyed.

Left to right, front row: D. Wiggins, G. Civitella, G. Grover, G. Harvey, S. Dutton, E. Lewis, E. Guildford, V. Worrell, L. Welsand, D. Frazer, B. Peters. Second row: Mrs. Hoopes, J. Flood, S. Gordy, P. Sanchez, J. Knapp, H. Gorman, J. East, L. Moore, F. Ballaron, H. Rambo, M. Donnollo, J. Steer, Miss Wenzell. Third row: R. Gartner, G. Shaver, L. Troupe, J. Wagner, J. Bailey, F. Wendig, H. Taylor, G. Thomas, V. Baskin, B. Friedrich, A. Lund, C. Klinger, G. Smith, D. Tarleton. Fourth row: R. Goodman, R. Prescott, B. Riddle, A. Orazetti, W. Thomas, D. Bishop, R. Nask, H. Lees, A. Roberts, L. Snelling, J. Lutz, G. Homsher, W. Baker, P. Brown.

Future Eighth Graders

Leaving elementary school and coming up to junior high school was a big step forward for us. We had so much fun planning our plays and parties, although our Christmas party could not be held because of an early closing of school. The many new subjects seemed strange to us, but they proved to be very interesting and exciting.

The library was the favorite roaming spot of most of the seventh graders. We all liked the fiction books and gained more knowledge by reading the reference books all of which were new to us.

Mrs. Elizabeth Conwell
Adviser

Mr. Edgar W. Raffensperger
Adviser

The seventh grade has been very proud of its progress in the war bond drives and in the tin can salvage drives.

We thoroughly enjoyed our first year in junior high school and are looking forward to our next year.

Left to right, front row: I. Homsher, A. Little, E. Rainey, M. Stone, G. Atkinson, E. Plank, H. Ballaron, J. Grayson, G. Michener, R. Krauss, J. Collins, M. Wessell, M. Wood, D. D'Onofrio. Second row: Mrs. Conwell, M. Heppenstall, R. D'Ambrosio, C. Venables, E. Tolson, C. Fletcher, T. Muehlmatt, B. Peel, M. Long, J. Hollis, N. Butler, C. Sterling, P. Parrish, Mr. Raffensperger. Third row: V. Sandy, R. Schweitzer, J. Harris, T. Managan, J. Sill, R. Wood, R. Young, T. Newby, G. Snyder, R. Stewart, F. Capotosta, D. Ealy, H. Gettz, C. Mohr, J. MacLaren, R. Shupard, L. Smith, L. Atkinson, D. Hipple, J. Livingston, C. Baringer. Back row: E. Harris, C. Sargent, B. Atkinson, F. Stinsman, S. Brooks, E. Gorman, G. Mahon, W. Miller, J. Mahon, H. MacMillen, W. McNeill, R. Worrell, J. Mackey, L. Stroy, H. Thompson, J. Murphy, B. Ketchledge.

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ACTIVITIES

Athletic Association Student Council

Left to right, sitting: Mr. Harvey, D. Civitella, E. Patton, H. Peirce, C. Roberts, Mr. Worrall. Standing: N. Butler, P. Pflueger, Mrs. Conwell, J. Ramsey, V. Flood, R. Goodman.

This year the Athletic Association Student Council, made up of several faculty members, athletic coaches, and representatives of each homeroom, has taken over new duties. We have been trying to combine the Athletic Association Council with a Student Council. This new system has worked very well.

A new monitor system has been established by the A. A. Student Council, and steps have been taken to provide a temporary plaque containing the names of Marple-Newtown students serving in the armed forces.

It was again impossible to hold our annual bake, but $340 was raised by donations made by friends of the school. This was the largest amount ever collected in such a manner.

The members of the 1943-44 Athletic Association Student Council were: President, Harold Peirce; Vice-President, Charles Roberts; Secretary, Elaine Patton; Treasurer, Domenic Civitella; Paul Pflueger, Virginia Flood, Janice Ramsey, Robert Goodman, and Nina Butler.

Mar-News

This year the circulation of the Mar-News has greatly increased over that of previous years. This increased circulation brought out an added interest of the students in their school paper, which through editorials and feature articles, expressed the views and thoughts of the students themselves.

Each year the paper is open for suggestions, and the staff works hard to make each publication an improvement over the last. In an effort to improve the paper this year, the Katty-Korner was discontinued and replaced with a variety of humorous columns. A new arrangement for the Class News page was suggested and carried out with a pleasing effect.

The remainder of the paper was carried out in much the same style with the help of capable and original staff members. The art editors drew up some clever cuts which added to the copy.

We all express our hope that the paper will continue to be a success throughout the many years to come.

Left to right, front row: L. Turner, D. Stowers, R. Stone, G. Gorsuch, L. Downs, E. Patton, J. Bachtler, V. Samms, N. Rinehart, F. Carson. Second row: H. Connor, A. Ivins, J. Stone, Miss Decker, M. Hipple, L. Mason, P. Mason. Back row: D. Fraser, B. Ketchledge, G. Earle, K. Friedrich, B. Carney.

Orchestra

This year our orchestra, under the capable leadership of our new music supervisor, Miss Zipf, has made considerable progress toward taking a more outstanding place in school activities. One stride in this direction is its regular appearance in playing the processional and recessional in assembly.

The string ensemble, an important branch of the instrumental department, made a good showing at a school directors' meeting at Media on January 20. In May, the whole music department participated in a Spring Music Festival, an addition to the ordinary musical presentations.

The spirited playing and increased quality of tone and expression are assets which we hope to keep and improve further under the guidance of Miss Zipf.

Front to back, left to right: A. Blosenski, H. Wood, S. Blosenski, E. Schneck, R. Gettz, H. Wood, D. Tarleton, M. Harris, J. Stone, J. Bachtler, R. Spiller, J. Fleming, C. Klinger, B. Fox, M. Hipple, H. Gorman, W. Hipple, V. Flood, G. Seely, R. Harris, H. Blosenski, Miss Zipf, D. Look, A. Smith.

The Glee Club

Left to right, front row: S. Dutton, E. Guildford, J. Gorsuch, B. Philson, L. MacLaren, R. Gettz, G. Harvey, G. Civitella. Second row: D. Davidson, B. Wilds, M. Harris, E. Stott, R. Stone, L. Turner, G. Gorsuch, N. Rinehart, J. Lawrence, R. Wendig. Third row: J. Stone, J. Fleming, M. Fiorello, K. Friedrich, V. Flood, M. Hipple, H. Bostwick, J. Hunter, J. Stover, E. Hankele, B. Broadbelt, D. Reed, Miss Zipf. Fourth row: E. Crowding, K. Heinzelman, A. Smith, R. Harris, J. Bachtler, D. Civitella, G. Seely, R. Spiller, W. Gordy, W. Hipple, J. Baskin, C. Klinger. Fifth row: C. Graham, M. Broadbelt, H. Wood, H. Garrett, P. Mason, F. Neal, J. Fetters, I. McElreavy, H. Hogg, J. Graf, E. Schneck, F. Myers, V. DeVito, F. Drummond. Sixth row: B. Fox, B. Peters, L. Robinson, R. Gartner, J. Wagner, J. Steer, J. Shaver, J. Flood, L. Mason, M. Gorsuch, L. Welsand, B. Friedrich.

The Glee Club, organized by Miss Zipf, who came to Marple-Newtown this year, consisted of approximately sixty members. Rehearsals were held every Wednesday after school.

Miss Zipf had planned a lovely Christmas concert but because of the epidemic of colds had to cancel the program. The Glee Club felt "let-down," but Miss Zipf got the members intertested in a concert which was given in Media on January 20. It seemed that the entertainers enjoyed themselves along with the audience. As a result of this, the Club was invited to give a concert for the Women's Club on March 2.

The performance was such a success that the members were asked to sing for the Parent-Teacher's Association and at Ellis College. Miss Zipf and the Club look forward to giving the Spring Festival scheduled for the beginning of May.

The Glee Club officers were as follows:

President ..... Emilie Stott
Vice-President ..... Virginia Flood
Secretary-Treasurer ..... Ruth Stone

"Ever Since Eve"

This year's Senior High play, "Ever Since Eve," by Ryerson and Clements, was given in the high school auditorium May 3 and 4. Under the directing of Mr. Brown, the play proved to be a great success.

The cast included:

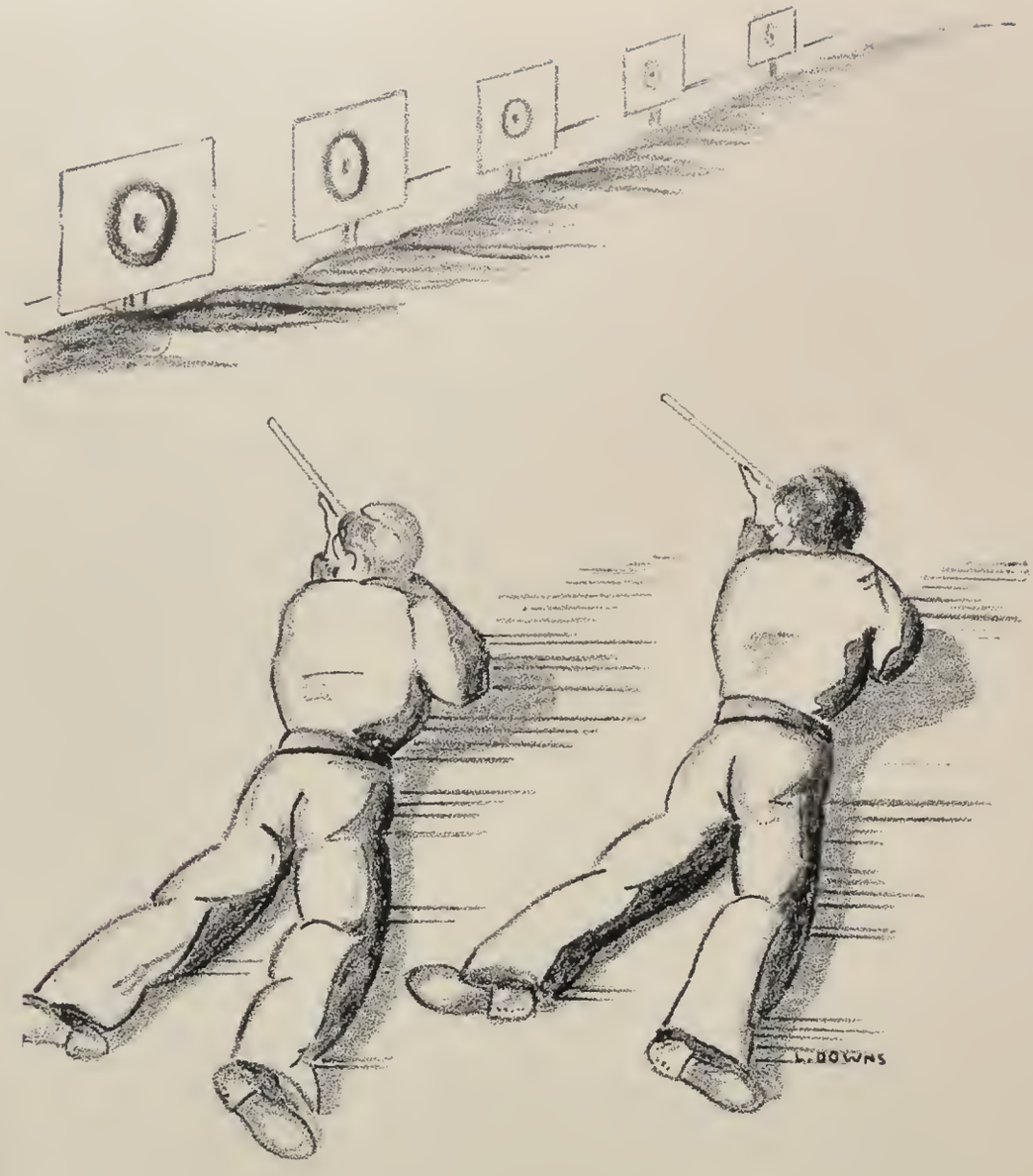
Mrs. Clover	Elaine Schneck
Johnny Clover	Joseph Bachtler
Mr. Clover	Joseph Peters
Spud Erwin	Bruce Bigelow
Susan Blake	Myrtle Fiorello
Betsy Erwin	Betty Carney
Martha Willard	Ethel Thomas
Officer (Cappy) Simmons	Robert Spiller
Henry Quinn	Paul Pflueger
Lucybell Lee	Florence Drummond
Preston Hughes	Arthur Smith
Football Players	Joe Nask
	Andy Smith
	John Guildford
	Robert Snapp
	Herbert Rudolph
	Roland Swain
	Ralph Moyer

Three Cheers for the Cheerleaders

Perhaps no organization in the school does so much work, without praise, as the cheerleading group. Those who give new hope and strength to tired players and fill minds with a new will to win are just as necessary to success as are the actual physical strength and ability of players. They have all offered much of their time to the interests of our school sports and deserve some of the credit that goes with a good athletic season. This is our opportunity to cheer them for their tireless efforts and good work.

The cheerleaders, under the able leadership of Doris Stowers, included: Ethel Thomas, Jane Stover, Jackie Spiker, Viola De Vito, and Carol Hall.

Left to right, front row: Viola DeVito. Back row: Jane Stover, Ethel Thomas, Doris Stowers, Carol Hall, Jacqueline Spiker.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SPORTS

M-N On The Football Field

In spite of the loss of our coach, Mr. Lengel, and two very good backs, Bill Brewer and Parker Harlow, M-N carried on and broke a four-year jinx.

It was under the very good coaching of Mr. Harvey, Mr. Obold, and Mr. Raffensperger that M-N rose from the bottom of the league for the first time since 1939.

This is a brief summary of how the '43 season went for the "Tigers"—

First game . . . played at home with North Coventry . . . blocked kick resulting in touchdown and a safety gave Marple-Newtown her first win. Score 8-0.

On to Yeadon . . . bad luck, four first-string men out including "Bud" Peirce, our Captain . . . difficult positions filled by inexperienced men. Score 32-7 Yeadon.

Then to Spring City . . . Sloppy playing . . . Reverses went through us . . . couldn't stop them. Score 32-0 Spring City.

Sharon Hill visited us . . . close game . . . goal line stand . . . M-N went ahead in last 35 seconds with spread "formation X." Score 12-7 Marple-Newtown.

Springfield . . . traditional Thanksgiving game . . . other team was too big and heavy . . . exciting goal line stand on 6-inch line . . . a memory in this defeat. Score 37-7 Springfield.

We are looking forward to a better season next year. Much experience has been gained, and many will be back next year with their new captain, Charles Roberts.

Left to right, front row: B. Rudolph, W. English, H. Peirce, R. Woodcock, D. O'Brien, B. Bigelow. Second row: H. Connor, P. Pflueger, C. Roberts, E. Worrell, W. Warner, L. Worrell, D. Civitella, R. Goodyear, Mr. Obold. Third row: G. Yoder, H. Rudolph, W. Peters, R. Griffin, W. Moyer, J. Bachtler, J. Nask, T. Sweeney.

Hockey

This year the Marple-Newtown girls really took their hockey playing as a serious business. The cooperation of the coach, Mrs. Conwell, the managers, and every girl down to a Second team substitute was outstanding.

The practices were held every Tuesday and Thursday after school. The games left many memories of black eyes, scratches, black-and-blue marks as well as rosy cheeks, but every minute of it was loads of fun.

Those lost by graduation are Elaine Patton, Captain; Rita DeCecco, Florence Carson, June Lawrence, Fay Hall, Anna Blosenski, Helen Blosenski, Lorraine Turner, and Nancy Rinehart, Manager.

Next year should show even more improvement—best of luck, girls!

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Boys' Basketball

The 1944 Senior High Basketball season was as good as could be expected with five of last year's team having been graduated or not having returned. We had several close games and many exciting ones, but we can boast of only four victories.

Mr. Strunk, the former Jayvee coach, took over both squads and deserves a lot of credit for his fine coaching.

The Jayvees had a more successful season than the varsity, as they won all but four of their games and gained much team cooperation.

1944 RECORD

Marple-Newtown	18	Yeadon	44
Marple-Newtown	23	Springfield	41
Marple-Newtown	17	Conshohocken	32
Marple-Newtown	32	St. Agnes	34
Marple-Newtown	18	Clifton	44
Marple-Newtown	36	Boothwyn	12
Marple-Newtown	24	Sharon Hill	43
Marple-Newtown	20	Nether Providence	28
Marple-Newtown	4	Yeadon	49
Marple-Newtown	26	Springfield	43
Marple-Newtown	21	Nether Providence	19
Marple-Newtown	21	Conshohocken	39
Marple-Newtown	15	Clifton	32
Marple-Newtown	25	St. Agnes	46
Marple-Newtown	17	Sharon Hill	38

Left to right, front row: R. Spiller, E. Worrell, D. O'Brien, R. Woodcock, F. Augustine, H. Peirce, R. Kerber, B. Bowersock, L. Downs, H. Connor. Second row: W. Loomis, H. Rudolph, K. Heinzelman, J. Graham, I. Miller, B. Rudolph, D. Civitella, J. Nask, T. Sweeney, L. Worrell, Mr. Strunk. Last row: J. Thomas, R. Swain, R. Goodyear, G. Peel, G. Seely, C. Roberts, R. Snapp, C. Scheid, J. Shaw.

Girls' Basketball

The Girls' Basketball team, under the leadership of Coach Conwell and Captain Elaine Patton, was not extremely successful this year. Although our girls played hard, they were defeated in the first four games but came through victoriously in the last three, winning over Nether Providence, Swarthmore, and Springfield.

Anna Blosenski was high scorer with 60 points. The team will lose Anna this year through graduation as well as Elaine Patton and Helen Blosenski. There are many able players left for next year's team, so to them we say, "The best of luck!"

SCORES

Clifton	33	Marple-Newtown	22
Yeadon	36	Marple-Newtown	6
Prospect Park	43	Marple-Newtown	22
Radnor	44	Marple-Newtown	20
Nether Providence	16	Marple-Newtown	29
Swarthmore	14	Marple-Newtown	19
Springfield	16	Marple-Newtown	27

Left to right, front row: F. Carson, A. Blosenski, V. Flood, M. Hipple, D. Davidson, E. Patton, M. Peirce, D. Reed, H. Blosenski, K. Friedrich. Second row: R. DeCecco, J. Graf, J. Hunter, H. Garrett, H. Bostwick, S. Blosenski, I. McElreavy, L. Ivins, B. Fox, Mrs. Conwell. Last row: E. Babkirk, R. Thomas, P. Mason, M. Collins, L. Kirk.

ANNA BLOSENSKI
Basketball

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Basketball

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Basketball

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Basketball

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Football

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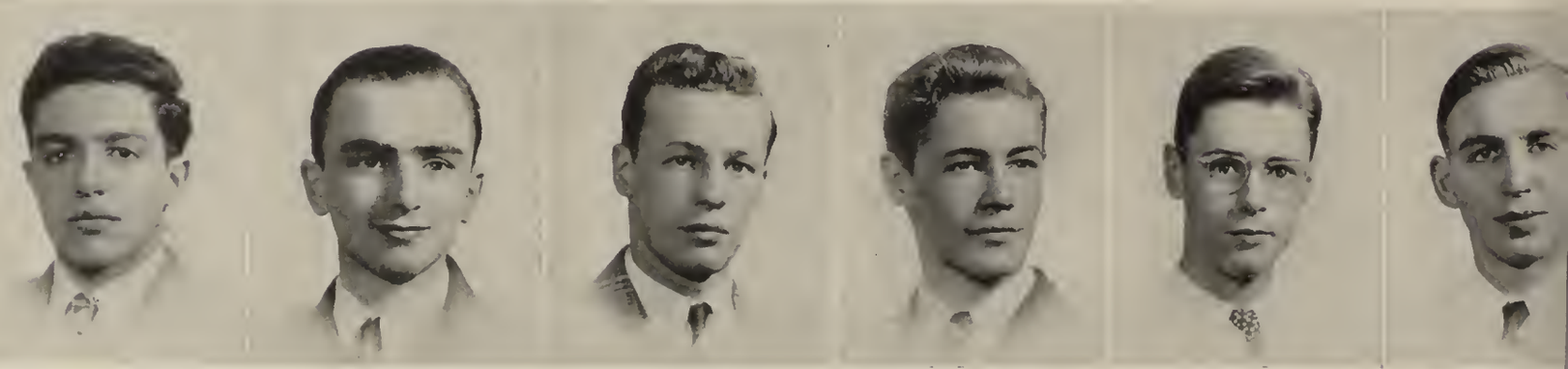
Basketball

Wearers of M-N

The persons shown on these pages are those who are entitled to wear the official letters of our school. At the close of the season of each major sport, the coaches submit to the Athletic Council a list of persons whom they declare qualified for athletic awards upon the basis of



DOMENIC CIVITELLA
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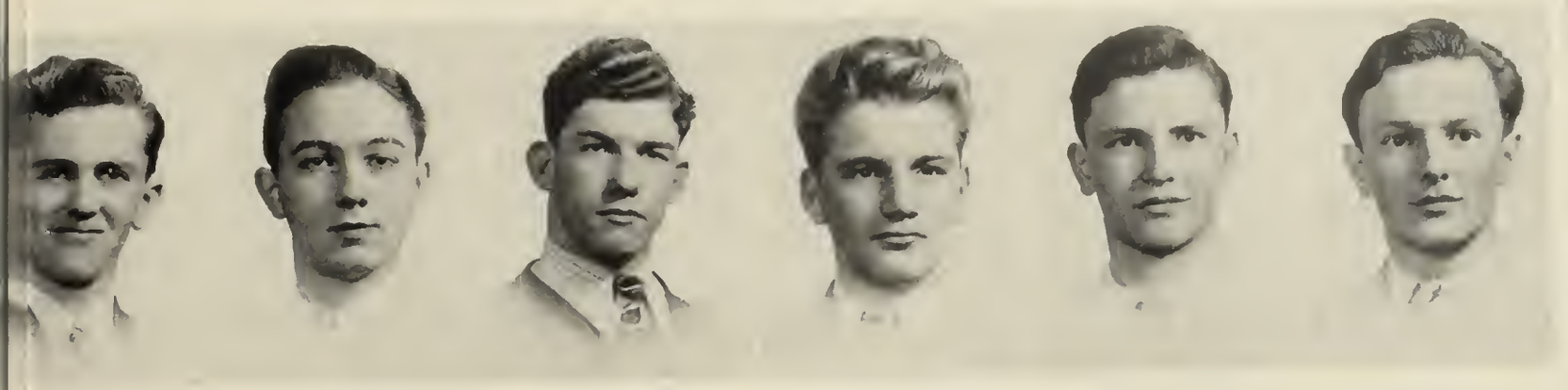


ALD O'BRIEN
ball and Football

HAROLD PEIRCE
Basketball and Football

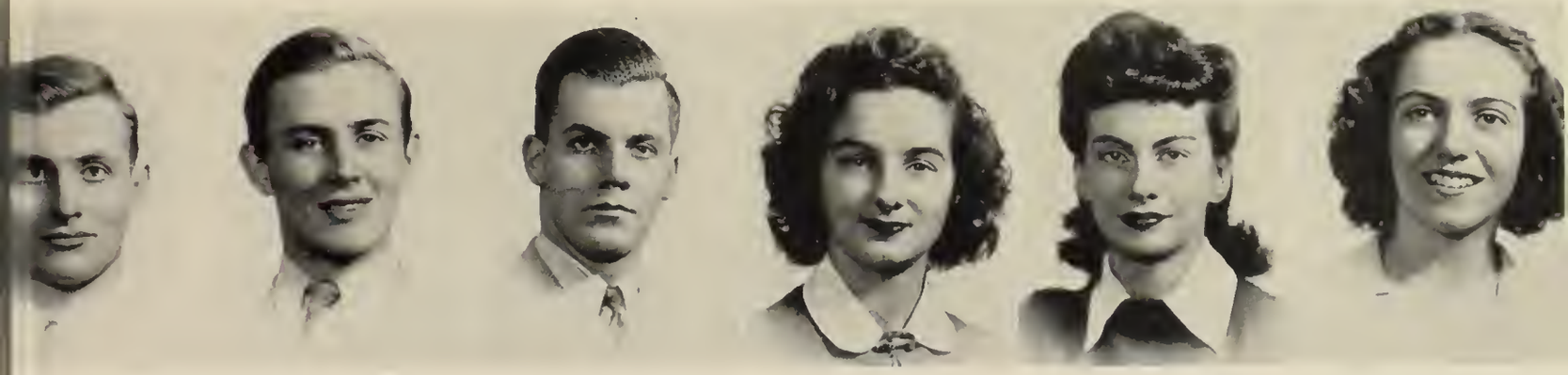
PAUL PFLUEGER
Football

CHARLES ROBERTS
Football

BRUNO RUDOLPH
Football

HERBERT RUDOLPH
Football

a record showing participation in seventy-five per cent of the total periods played by the team. This applies to all sports except track. The coaches may also submit a list of persons who lack the required periods of participation whom they consider the Council should declare qualified to wear our school letter. The Council then acts on this list as it sees best.



IAM WARNER
Football

ERNEST WORRELL
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MARY PEIRCE
Basketball

ELAINE PATTON
Basketball

MIRIAM HIPPLE
Basketball

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3. Elaine and

4. Man-shortage
5. Cheering us on

6. Senior Wolfesse
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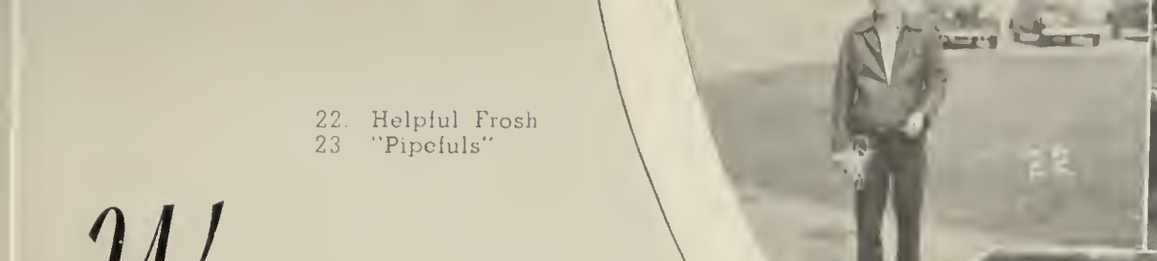
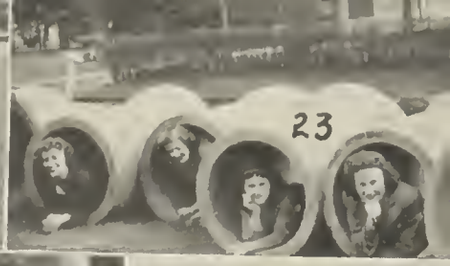
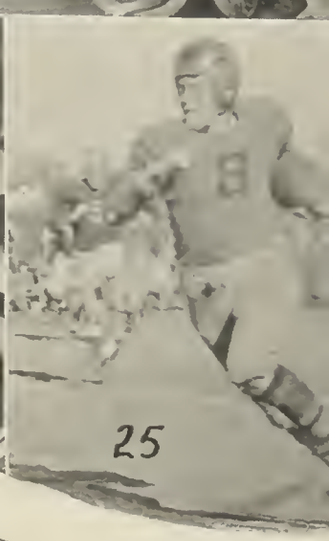
23. "Pipefuls"



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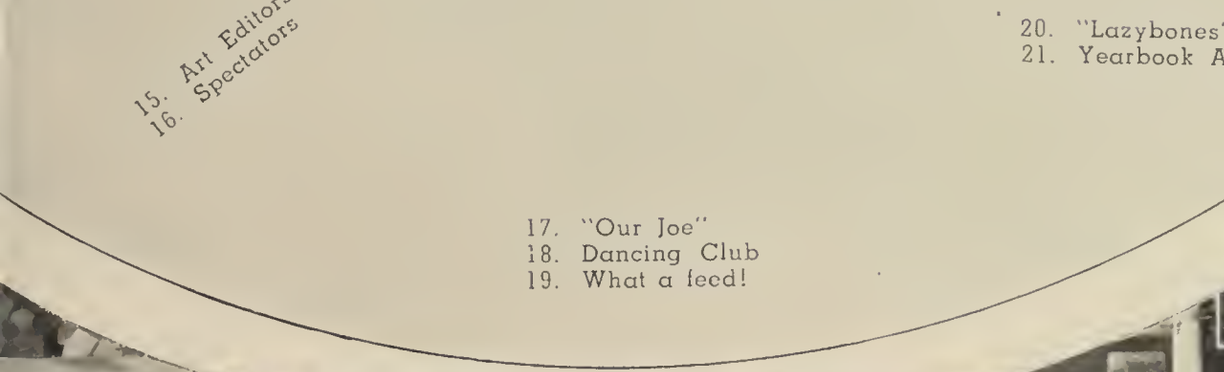
25. M.-N.'s Threat

12. Long and short of it
13. Home Game
14. Another Candid Snapper
14. Who's the Manager?

15. Art Editors
16. Spectators

20. "Lazybones"
21. Yearbook Adviser



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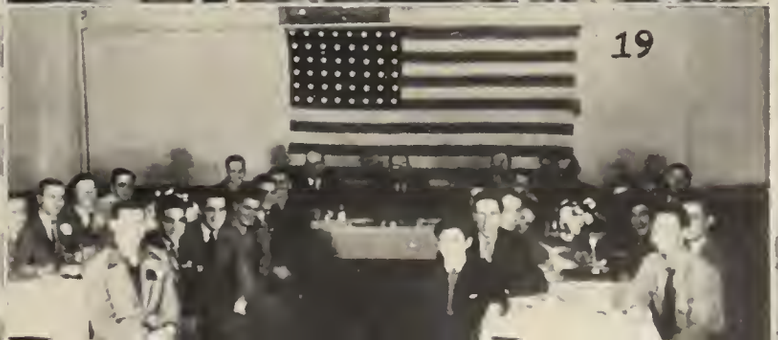
19. What a feed!



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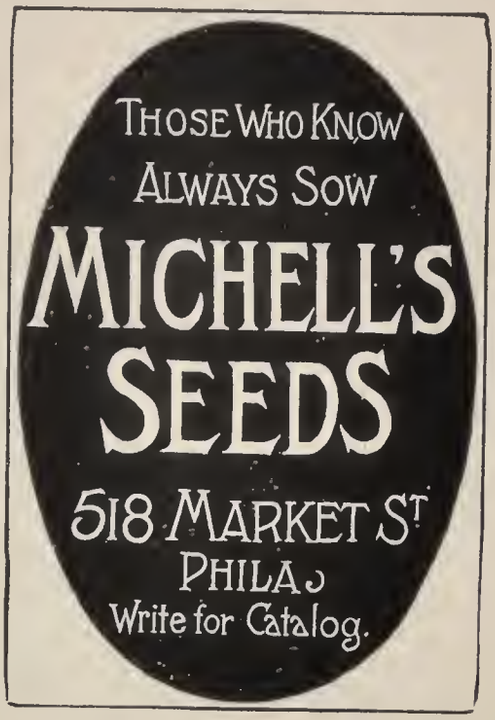

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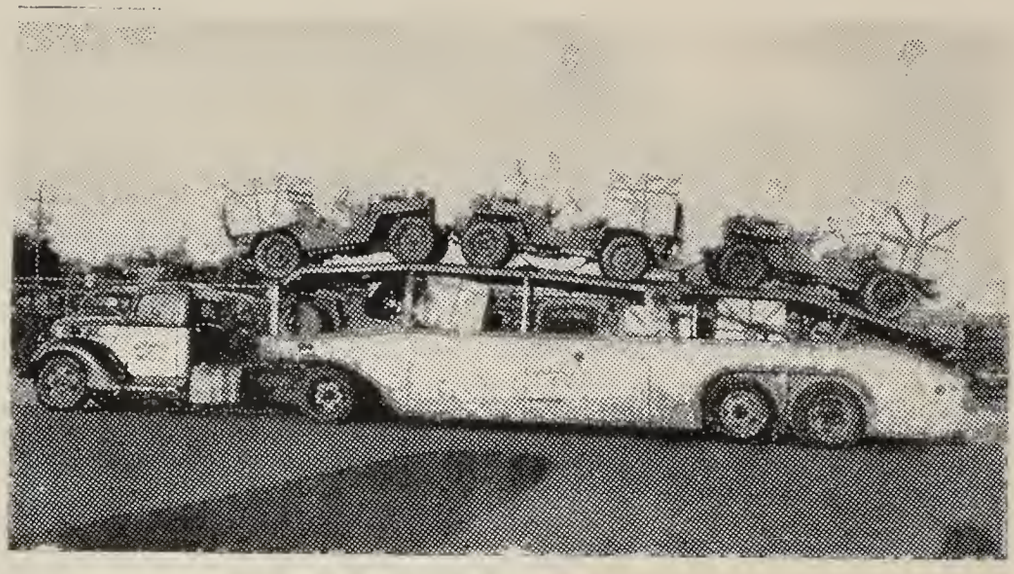

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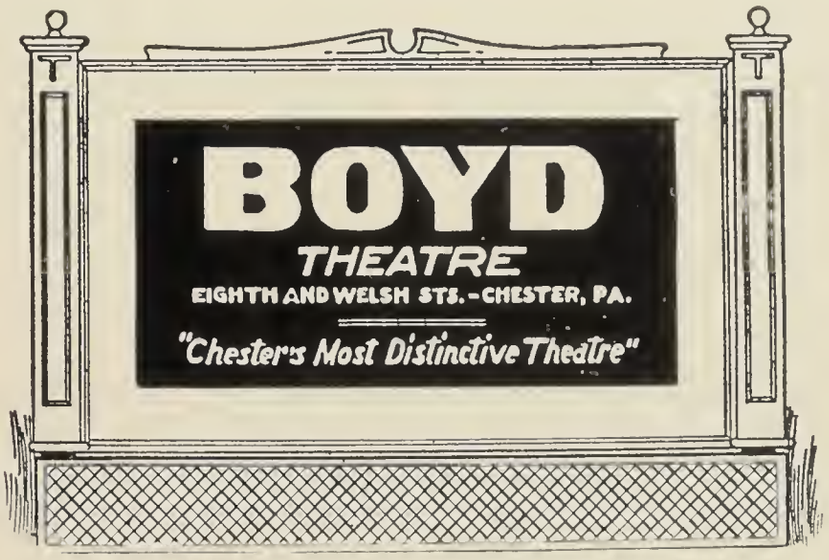
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